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December 7, 2005

The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Los Angeles
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, California 90012

Dear Supervisors:

**INMATES CONVICTED FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT - GANG INJUNCTION AND
PERCENTAGE RELEASE TIME SERVED**

On June 7, 2005, your Board requested the Sheriff to require all inmates sentenced for violating a contempt of court gang injunction to serve 100 percent of their sentence. It was also requested that the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (Department) provide a quarterly report as to the status of this request. This report covers the three-month period (quarter) of September, October, and November 2005.

The Department identified 28 inmates sentenced under a contempt of court gang injunction. Of those 28 inmates, 10 were released during this reporting period. None of the 10 inmates were granted an early release date and all were processed for release following normal release procedure time lines.

Depending on a multitude of factors, the release process may only take a few hours, but may take days to complete. Because of this, the release process is generally initiated 24-48 hours prior to the actual release date in order to alleviate the potential for over detention.

Of the 10 inmates who were released during this quarter, one (1) was released 48 hours prior to his actual release date, seven (7) were released 24 hours prior, and two (2) were released on their actual release date.

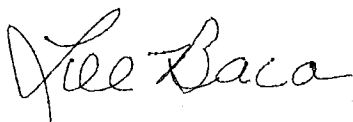
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If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me or Chief Marc L. Klugman of our Correctional Services Division, at (213) 893-5017.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Leroy D. Baca". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

LEROY D. BACA
SHERIFF